

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
FREEDOM OF INFORMATION/PRIVACY ACTS SECTION
COVER SHEET

SUBJECT: EUGENE M. MCCARTHY

F B I

Date: 4/3/68

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
ATTN: FBI LABORATORY

FROM: SAC, WFO (9-NEW) (P)

560053

UNSUB;
Roland Terrintine, aka
Rolan
Letter Postmarked 3/31/68,
South Haven, Michigan;
SENATOR EUGENE J. MC CARTHY - VICTIM
EXTORTION
(OO:DETROIT)

Re Bureau telephone call to WFO 4/3/68.

Enclosed for the Bureau are the original and one
copy of above captioned letter and accompanying envelope
and for Detroit two copies of same.Mr. THOMAS S. PAGE, Director, National Finance
Committee, MC CARTHY for President Headquarters, advised
SA DAVID W. BOWERS, SOG, instant date, that MC CARTHY
Headquarters had received that date the above described
obscene letter containing a threat to kill Senator MC CARTHY.

- ENCLOSURE REC-68
ENCLOSURE MCT-32.5
- (4) - Bureau (Enc. 4)
 - 2 - Detroit (Enc. 4)
 - 2 - WFO

C. C. Bishop
ROB:arw
(8)

12 APR 4 1968

EX-116

AIRTELSEVEN
L.F.P.Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

"COPY AND SPECIMENS RETAINED IN LAB"

ENCLOSURE FILES

SIX

WFO 9-NEW

Postmark on letter indicates it was mailed 3/31/68, at South Haven, Michigan. Return address reads, "Roland Terrintine 72nd Covert Mich 49090". The letter includes a sketch for a rifle silencer and states in part, "In case you don't believe I'll kill him I have a silencer in my rifle. Still don't believe me? Well I'll tell you a silencer for a 22 will have to be exactly 8 in. long and 3 in. in diameter and made of heavy metal casing." Scotch-taped to the upper right corner of the first page is a .22 caliber bullet.

PAGE advised letter and envelope had been handled by numerous office personnel whose fingerprints are being obtained for elimination purposes.

The initials "ROB" and "TSP" appearing on the envelope and letter are those of SA [REDACTED], FBI, and THOMAS S. PAGE, Mc CARTHY for President Headquarters.

MPD, U.S. Secret Service, and U.S. Capitol Police, Washington, D.C., advised.

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU - (LABORATORY)

- (1) Search Anonymous Letter File for similar letters written by UNSUB, aka Rolan Terrintine.
- (2) Conduct examination for any latent fingerprints.

LEADS

DETROIT

AT COVERT AND SOUTH HAVEN, MICHIGAN. Identify UNSUB and interview and present matter to appropriate USA for prosecutive opinion.

WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE

AT WASHINGTON, D.C. Will continue interviewing personnel at MC CARTHY for President Headquarters to ascertain who has handled captioned communication.

LHM follows.

RECORDED
4/5/68FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
RECORDED: 4/9/68/9:30 am RECEIVED: 4/9/68/mja
Laboratory Work Sheet

NO LAB FILE

Re: UNSUB;
Roland Terrintine, aka
Roland - *Letter dated 3/31/68*
Senator Eugene J. McCarthy-Victim
EXTORTION

OBSCENE

File # *47853-1*
Lab. # D-560053 KYLC. #91190
A. 4/3/68OO: DETROIT
Examination requested by: SAC, WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE
Examination requested: (9-NEW) DOCUMENT - FINGERPRINT
Result of Examination:Date received: 4/4/68
Examination by: *[redacted]**91-45123 to file - given to [redacted]
checked on 4/5/68
what [redacted] [redacted] 91
2. lat " " " Q2
4 " " " Q3
No ident record located Roland or Roland Terrintine
Specimens
Laboratory sep*Specimens submitted for examination

- 7.5 [redacted] photo*
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- Q1 Envelope postmarked "South Haven, MI Mar 31 1968,"
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- addressed "Citizens For McCarthy Washington, D.C. 20002"
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- Q2
- 3. [redacted]*
- Three page hand printed obscene letter beginning "This
-
- will be my contrubtion ----," and ending on the third
-
- page" Sincerely Rolan Terrintine 72nd Covert Michigan"

RETURN EVIDENCE
CC: DETROIT*April 11-15-68
P.C. 1.1*EXAMINATION COMPLETED *4/12*

Date

Time

DICTATED *4/12*

Date



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO. **EX-110**
FBI FILE NO. **REC-125**
LATENT CASE NO.

9-47853-1
91190

April 15, 1968

TO: **SAC, WFO**

RE: **UNSUB.:
ROLAND TERRINTINE, AKA
ROLAN
LETTER POSTMARKED 3/31/68
SOUTH HAVEN, MICHIGAN
SENATOR EUGENE J. MC CARTHY - VICTIM
EXTORTION**

REFERENCE: **Airtel 4/3/68**
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: **WFO**
SPECIMENS: **One envelope, Q1
Two-page letter, Q2 and Q3**

**Four latent fingerprints of value developed
on Q1. Two latent fingerprints of value developed on
Q2 and four latent fingerprints developed on Q3.**

**On basis of information furnished no identi-
fication record located Roland Terrintine or Rolan Terrintine.**

Specimens enclosed.

Laboratory report separate.

Enc. (3)

2 - Detroit

Tolson _____
DeLoach _____
Mohr _____
Bishop _____
Casper _____
Callahan _____
Conrad _____
Felt _____
Gale _____
Rosen _____
Sullivan _____
Tavel _____
Trotter _____
Tele. Room _____
Holmes _____
Gandy _____

PRER:cbc

(6)

57 APR 19 1968

John Edgar Hoover, Director

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MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

Tolson _____
DeLoach _____
Mohr _____
Bishop _____
Casper _____
Callahan _____
Conrad _____
Felt _____
Gale _____
Rosen _____
Sullivan _____
Tavel _____
Trotter _____
Tele. Room _____
Holmes _____
Gandy _____

TO : Mr. Bishop *P. 102*

DATE: 4-3-68

FROM : M. A. Jones *[Signature]*

SUBJECT: ROLAND TERRINTINE
COVERT, MICHIGAN *W*
SENATOR EUGENE J. MC CARTHY - VICTIM
EXTORTION

6-6-68

Tom Page of the McCarthy for President Committee contacted Special Agent Bowers on 4-3-68, and advised he has in his possession a letter signed by captioned subject threatening the life of both Senator McCarthy and his wife. Page stated the letter enclosed a .22 caliber bullet, a picture of a rifle silencer, and included various obscene remarks. He stated he could be contacted concerning this matter at Committee Headquarters in Suite 314 in the Capitol Hill Hotel at 301 1st Street, Northeast.

[Redacted] in Washington Field Office was advised of the foregoing information and instructed to have an Agent contact Page for the threatening communication and to take appropriate action.

RECOMMENDATION:

That this matter be referred to the General Investigative Division.

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Bishop
- 1 - Mr. Rosen

DWB:nls (7)

TEB
AWB

REC-75

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15 APR 5 1968

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FBI

Date: 4/5/68

Mr. Tolson _____
Mr. DeLoach _____
Mr. Mohr _____
Mr. Bishop _____
Mr. Casper _____
Mr. Callahan _____
Mr. Conrad _____
Mr. Felt _____
Mr. Gale _____
Mr. Rosen _____
Mr. Sullivan _____
Mr. Tavel _____
Mr. Trotter _____
Tele. Room _____
Miss Holmes _____
Miss Gandy _____

Transmit the following in PLAINTEXT
(Type in plaintext or code)

Via TELETYPE URGENT
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR AND SAC, DETROIT

FROM: SAC, WFO (9-2016)

UNSUB; ROLAND TERRINTINE, AKA ROLAN; LETTER POSTMARKED

MARCH THIRTYONE LAST, SOUTH HAVEN, MICHIGAN; SENATOR EUGENE J.

MC CARTHY - VICTIM; EXTORTION; OO:DETROIT

RE WFO AIRTEL TO DIRECTOR AND DETROIT APRIL THREE LAST.

BUREAU HAS REQUESTED THAT DETROIT PRESENT CASE TO
APPROPRIATE USA BEFORE CONDUCTING INVESTIGATION REQUESTED IN
REAIRTEL TO IDENTIFY UNSUB.

- ② - Bureau
- 2 - Teletype Unit
- 2 - WFO

ROB:sls
(6)

REC-105 9 - 4785-3

APR 9 1968

REC.D-103EN

FBI
Sent _____ M Per _____

Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

70 APR 15 1968

F B I

Date: 4/5/68

Transmit the following in AIRTEL
(Type in plaintext or code)Via _____
(Priority)

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, WFO (9-2016) (P)

UNSUB; aka
 Roland Terrintine,
 Rolan Terrintine,
 Letter Postmarked 3/31/68,
 South Haven, Michigan;
 SENATOR EUGENE J. MC CARTHY - VICTIM
 EXTORTION
 (00:DE)

ReWFOairtel to Bureau, 4/3/68.

Enclosed for Bureau are the original and three
 copies of an LHM, together with two copies of an FD-376,
 regarding captioned subject. Two copies of the LHM are
 being furnished Detroit.

The investigation reflected in the LHM was
 conducted by SA [REDACTED]

WFO indices contained no reference identifiable
 with ROLAND TERRINTINE or ROLAN TERRINTINE.

③-Bureau (Enc. 6)
 2-Detroit (Enc. 2) (AM)
 2-WFO

ROB:dan C. C. Bishop
 (7)

AIRTEL

APR 10 1968

Sent

M Per

Special Agent in Charge

55 APR 17 1968

REC-35

APR 9 1968

WFO 9-2016

Dissemination is being made locally to U.S. Secret Service, U.S. Capitol Police and Intelligence Division, Metropolitan Police Department.

LEAD

WASHINGTON FIELD

AT WASHINGTON, D.C.

Will obtain fingerprints for elimination purposes from office personnel of McCarthy for President Finance Committee and forward to FBI Laboratory for its use in latent fingerprint examination.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

April 5, 1968

Director
United States Secret Service
Department of the Treasury
Washington, D. C. 20220

Dear Sir:

The information furnished herewith concerns an individual who is believed to be covered by the agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning Presidential protection, and to fall within the category or categories checked.

1. ☐ Has attempted or threatened bodily harm to any government official or employee, including foreign government officials residing in or planning an imminent visit to the U. S., because of his official status.
2. ☒ Has attempted or threatened to redress a grievance against any public official by other than legal means.
3. ☐ Because of background is potentially dangerous; or has been identified as member or participant in communist movement; or has been under active investigation as member of other group or organization inimical to U. S.
4. ☐ U. S. citizens or residents who defect from the U. S. to countries in the Soviet or Chinese Communist blocs and return.
5. ☐ Subversives, ultrarightists, racists and fascists who meet one or more of the following criteria:
 - (a) ☐ Evidence of emotional instability (including unstable residence and employment record) or irrational or suicidal behavior;
 - (b) ☐ Expressions of strong or violent anti-U. S. sentiment;
 - (c) ☐ Prior acts (including arrests or convictions) or conduct or statements indicating a propensity for violence and antipathy toward good order and government.
6. ☐ Individuals involved in illegal bombing or illegal bomb-making.

Photograph ☐ has been furnished ☐ enclosed ☐ is not available
☐ may be available through _____

Very truly yours,


John Edgar Hoover
Director

1 - Special Agent in Charge (Enclosure(s) 1
U. S. Secret Service , Washington Field Office

Enclosure(s) 1

(Upon removal of classified enclosures, if any, this transmittal form becomes UNCLASSIFIED.)



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Washington, D.C. 20535
April 5, 1968

UNKNOWN SUBJECT; Also Known As
Roland Terrintine,
Rolan Terrintine,
Letter Postmarked March 31, 1968,
South Haven, Michigan;
SENATOR EUGENE J. MC CARTHY, VICTIM

A letter was received on April 3, 1968, at the office of the National Finance Committee, McCarthy for President, Thomas S. Page, Director, Suite 314, Capitol Hill Hotel, 301 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. The letter was postmarked March 31, 1968, at South Haven, Michigan, and bore the return address "Roland Terrintine 72nd Covent Mich. 49090." The letter was addressed to "Citizens for McCarthy Washington, D.C. 20002."

The three-page letter, hand printed in red ink on standard, lined stenographic paper, contained extensive obscenities and a .22 caliber rifle bullet Scotch-taped to the upper right-hand corner of the first page immediately after this wording, "This will be my contribution to McCarthy if he don't get his (obsценities)... In case you don't believe I'll kill him I have a silencer on my rifle still don't believe me? Well I'll tell you a silencer for a .22 will have to be excatly 8n long and 3n around and made of heavy metal casing."

The writer then included a sketch of a rifle barrel illustrating how acoustical packing may be used to make a silencer.

1E XEROX
APR 10 1968

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RE: UNKNOWN SUBJECT; Also Known As
Roland Terrintine, Rolan Terrintine,
Letter Postmarked March 31, 1968,
South Haven, Michigan;
SENATOR EUGENE J. MC CARTHY - VICTIM

The letter was signed "Sincerely Rolan
Terrintine 72nd Covert Michigan."

The following persons in Washington, D.C.
were advised on April 3, 1968, of the letter's contents,
following which each advised he would take appropriate
action within his organization:

[REDACTED]
Duty Agent
United States Secret Service
Washington Field Office

[REDACTED]
United States Capitol Police

[REDACTED]
Intelligence Division
Metropolitan Police Department

This document contains neither
recommendations nor conclusions of
the FBI. It is the property of
the FBI and is loaned to your agency;
it and its contents are not to be
distributed outside your agency.



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, Washington Field Office (9-New) Date: April 5, 1968

Re: UNSUB; ^①
Roland Terrintine, aka
Rolan
Senator Eugene J. McCarthy -
Victim
EXTORTION

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

OO: Detroit
Examination requested by:

FBI File No.
Lab. No.

D-560053 . KY

Reference: Washington Field Office

Examination requested: Airtel 4/3/68

Remarks: Document - Fingerprint

The submitted evidence will be returned to
Washington Field Office by the Latent Fingerprint Section.

Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)
2 - Detroit Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

Tolson _____
DeLoach _____
Mohr _____
Bishop _____
Casper _____
Callahan _____
Conrad _____
Felt _____
Gale _____
Rosen _____
Sullivan _____
Tavel _____
Trotter _____
Tele. Room _____
Holmes _____
Gandy _____

DNR:SLL (6)



ENCLOSURE
ENC. BEHIND

ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE

55 APR 16 1968

TELETYPE UNIT ☐

9-47853

APR 11 1968

① 5718
② 3064N

REPORT
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, Washington Field Office (9-New)

Date:

April 5, 1968

Re:

FBI File No.

Lab. No.

D-560053 KY

UNSUB;
Roland Terrintine, aka
Rolan
Senator Eugene J. McCarthy - Victim
EXTORTION

Specimens received

4/4/68

Q1 Envelope postmarked "South Haven, MI Mar 31 1968,"
addressed "Citizens For McCarthy Washington, D. C. 20002"

Q2 - Q3 Two-page hand printed obscene letter beginning "This
will be my contrubtion ...," and ending "Sincerly
Rolan Terrintine 72nd Covet Michigan"

ALSO SUBMITTED: .22 Caliber cartridge bearing brand "Super X"

Result of examination:

The questioned writing on Q1 through Q3 was searched
through the appropriate sections of the Anonymous Letter File
without effecting an identification. Appropriate photographs of
these specimens will be added to this file for future reference.

No identification record was located for individuals
using the name "Roland" or "Rolan Terrintine."

Q1 is a white bond envelope which has no watermark or
indented writing. The stamp affixed to this specimen has been
placed thereon with transparent tape.

Q2 and Q3 are pages torn from a spiral-type
stenographer's notebook.

No identifying features were observed on Q1 through
Q3 that would assist in determining the source of the specimen.

The evidence will be returned separately. Photographs
are retained.

Tolson _____
DeLoach _____
Mohr _____
Bishop _____
Casper _____
Callahan _____
Conrad _____
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Sullivan _____
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Tele. Room _____
Holmes _____
Gandy _____

DNRC:SLL (6)

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RECORDED
4/5/68

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NO LAB FILE

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: UNSUB; ✓
Roland Terrintine, aka ✓
Roland ✓
Senator Eugene J. McCarthy-Victim ✓
EXTORTION ✓

OBSCENE
File # 9-7-8535
Lab. # D-560053 KY ✓

A. 4/3/68 ✓

OO: DETROIT ✓
Examination requested by: SAC, WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE ✓
(9-NEW) ✓

Examination requested: DOCUMENT - FINGERPRINT ✓

Date received: 4/4/68 ✓

Result of Examination:

Examination by: [REDACTED] 4/5/68

1. Qw Q1 & Q2 no ident ALF. Photos added.
2. No identification record located in the name Roland or Roland Terrintine.
3. Q1 white bond envelope no watermark or indented writing. Stamp affixed to Q1 with transparent tape.
4. Q2 & Q3 pages torn from spiral type stenographer's notebook.
5. No identifying features observed Q1 - Q3 would assist in determining source of these specimens.
6. Evid. sep. Photos.

Q1 Envelope postmarked "South Haven, Mi Mar 31 1968," addressed "Citizens For McCarthy Washington, D.C. 20002"

Q2 ^{Two} Three page hand printed obscene letter beginning "This will be my contrubtion ----," and ending on the third page "Sincerely Roland Terrintine 72nd Covert Michigan"

Also Submitted. .22 caliber cartridge bearing brand "Super X"

RETURN EVIDENCE

1- ~~CC~~ DETROIT

PHOTOGRAPHED

APR 5 1968

[REDACTED] advised no record
Roland or Roland Terrintine in
Civil or Criminal files

FBI

Date: 4/16/68

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
 FROM: SAC, DETROIT (9-2279)

UNSUB, aka.,
 Roland Terrintine,
 Roland Terrintine
 Senator EUGENE J. MC CARTHY - VICTIM
 KIDNAPING

Re Bureau 0-1 form, dated 4/10/68.

Enclosed are 3 copies of an LHM containing
 opinion of the AUSA, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Copies of the LHM have been furnished USA and
 Secret Service, both Grand Rapids.

① - Bureau (Enc. - 3) (RM)
 ① - Detroit
 LVC/slo
 (5)

BEST COPY AVAILABLE

100-17 to WFO & airtel
 100-17 to USSS
 1 room 5718
 WPR-WJ 4-19-68

ENCLOSURE

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 N. sub. e. W. W.
 inform. data
 Commission of FBI Statent.
 WPR-WJ 4-19-68

11 APR 18 1968

Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____

66 APR 2 1968 Charge



*In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.*

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Detroit, Michigan
April 16, 1968

Re: Unknown Subject, also known as,
Roland Terrintine,
Rolan Terrintine
Senator Eugene J. McCarthy - Victim
Extortion

On April 15, 1968, Assistant United States Attorney, James Warren Eardley, Grand Rapids, Michigan, stated he considers the content of the letter in this matter to constitute a violation of the Federal Extortion Statute, and that if the writer is identified and found to be mentally responsible, his office will give serious consideration to Federal prosecution.

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This report and its contents are
loaned to you by the FBI and are
not to be distributed outside of
agency to which loaned.

47853-6

ENCLOSURE

F B I

Date: 4/22/68

Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AM (Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-47853)
Attn: FBI Laboratory

FROM: SAC, DETROIT (9-2379) (P)

SUBJECT: UNSUB;
Roland Terrintine, aka
Letter Postmarked 3/31/68
South Haven, Michigan
Senator EUGENE J. MC CARTHY - VICTIM
EXTORTION
OO: DETROIT

There is enclosed one page of known hand printing of ROLAND B. TERRENTINE, Route #1, Covert, Michigan, which was obtained from a former employer. It is requested they be compared with hand printing on original envelope and letter in this case. Return specimens to Detroit following examination.

ROLAND B. TERRENTINE was arrested by the Michigan State Police, South Haven, Michigan, on 5/22/65, as a disorderly person-frequenting a gambling establishment. Michigan State Police records at South Haven, do not show if he was fingerprinted but, if he was, the prints would bear Michigan State Police number 55-755-65. It is requested it be determined if such prints were received in the Identification Division and, if so, they be compared with latents found on the envelope and letter.

ROLAND B. TERRENTINE is a Negro male, born 12/29/24, in Ohio, 6'1", 160 lbs., black hair, brown eyes, occupation - laborer.

For the information of the Bureau, records of the Michigan State Police, South Haven, show the following:

3 - Bureau (Enc. 1) (RM)
2 - Detroit
LKC/srr C. C. Bishop
(5) C. C. Rosen

ENCLOSURE
LAB REPORT
5/3/68
DNC:NB

APR 26 1968

Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

"COPY AND SPECIMENS RETAINED IN LAB"

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DE 9-2379

On December 21, 1967, [REDACTED], Route #1, Covert, received anonymous letter, postmarked Kalamazoo, Michigan, 12/20/67, instructing her to put \$25.00 in a hole on the south pier at South Haven. Letter contained a drawing showing location of hole.

On 12/25/67, ROLAND B. TERRENTINE, Route #1, Covert, reported to Michigan State Police, he had received letter, postmarked Kalamazoo, 12/22/67, requesting he place \$25.00 in hole on south pier at South Haven, and letter also contained drawing showing location.

Michigan State Police latent print section, East Lansing, found several identifiable latents on envelope and letter to [REDACTED], but none on envelope to TERRENTINE.

On 1/2/68, TERRENTINE reported another letter, similar to the first but requesting \$50.00.

On 2/2/68, [REDACTED] came to the post with an obscene letter addressed to President JOHNSON and bearing the name of ROLAND TERRENTINE as sender. No further information known concerning this except Michigan State Police report states JORDAN interviewed ROLAND B. TERRENTINE and is convinced he is not the person who prepared the letter.

* On 4/1/68, ROLAND B. TERRENTINE reported receiving another letter. This berated TERRENTINE for not having left the requested \$25.00 and in it the writer says TERRENTINE will probably be hearing from the letter which the writer had sent to Senator MC CARTHY and other persons and to which he had signed TERRENTINE's name.

ROLAND B. TERRENTINE also informed the Michigan State Police he had received a letter from Klein's Sporting Goods, Chicago, requesting credit references. TERRENTINE then learned someone had ordered a Browning shotgun giving TERRENTINE's name and address as the purchaser.

DE 9-2379

[REDACTED], Michigan State Police, stated Detective [REDACTED], who made the investigation to date, is out of town, but that TERRENTINE and [REDACTED] have no suspects and that surveillances of the south pier, which goes into Lake Michigan at South Haven, have been made each time a request to leave money there has been made. However, no one has ever called for dummy packages which have been left.

LEADS

DETROIT

AT COVERT, MICHIGAN

Interview [REDACTED] and ROLAND B. TERRENTINE relative to this matter. Obtain hand printing specimens and fingerprints from TERRENTINE, if not already available.

AT GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

Will contact Agent [REDACTED] United States Secret Service, relative to letter to President JOHNSON. (Information relative to letter to Senator MC CARTHY has previously been furnished this office in LHM). Will ascertain disposition of original letter, and if not done will have it sent to FBI, Laboratory, for comparison with MC CARTHY letter and latent print examination. Will also ascertain results of investigation by Secret Service and whether [REDACTED] has obtained hand printing specimens from ROLAND B. TERRENTINE.

AT SOUTH HAVEN, MICHIGAN

Will contact Michigan State Police, Detective [REDACTED] Ascertain location of original envelopes and letters turned over to him, and obtain them and send to FBI Laboratory for comparison with MC CARTHY letter.



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D-560053
FBI
LABORATORY



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LABORATORY

22-7170
D-560053 3 NY
FBI
LABORATORY

do
u/bell

CC 91174
D-560053 43
FBI
LABORATORY

I accidently saw
a New York Times
report in the
not have lost the
This letter tells
4-2-68

Sincerely
D.E.





FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

REC-126

YOUR FILE NO. 9-2379
FBI FILE NO. EX-116 9-47853-1
LATENT CASE NO. 91190

May 9, 1968

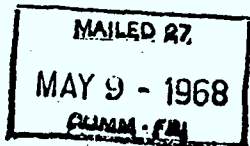
TO: SAC, Detroit

RE: UNSUB.;
ROLAND TERRINTINE, AKA
LETTER POSTMARKED 3/31/68
SOUTH HAVEN, MICHIGAN
SENATOR EUGENE J. MC CARTHY - VICTIM
EXTORTION

REFERENCE: Airtel 4/22/68
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Detroit
SPECIMENS:

The latent fingerprints previously reported in this case are not identical with the fingerprints of Roland B. Terrentine, born 12/29/24, in Cleveland, Ohio, FBI #3260259, who may or may not be the individual mentioned in your airtel.

Laboratory report and disposition of known handwriting and hand printing of Roland B. Terrentine, KI, which was also submitted, separate.



Tolson _____
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John Edgar Hoover, Director

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
DATE RECORDED: 5-6-68 10:10 a.m. DATE
Laboratory Work Sheet

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Re: UNSUB
Roland Terrintine aka
Letter Postmarked 3/31/68
South Haven, Michigan
Senator Eugene J. McCarthy - Victim
Extortion

File # 9-47853-1
Lab. # D-561537 KY
LC # 91190

Examination requested by: **L A T E N T**
Detroit (9-2379) A-4/22/68

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Date received: 4/24/68

Result of Examination:

Examination by [REDACTED]

Named for comparison purposes;
ROLAND B. TERRENTINE, N/M, DOB 12-29-24, MICHIGAN SP.# 55-755-

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EXPEDITE

Specimens submitted for examination

K1 One sheet of known handwriting and hand printing of
ROLAND B. TERRENTINE

Examination completed

Time

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Date

FBI

Date: 4/12/68

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

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Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI *9-47853*
FROM: SAC, WFO (9-2016)
ATTENTION: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION, LATENT FINGERPRINT DIVISION

ADP/K
UNSUB; Roland Terrintine, aka
Rolan
Senator Eugene J. McCarthy
Victim
EXTORTION
(OO:DE)

ReWFOairtel to the Bureau 4/3/68, FBI Laboratory
Number D-560053 KY Report 4/5/68.

Enclosed for the Identification Division, Latent
Fingerprint Section, are fingerprint cards for ELIZABETH SCANLAN
and JUDITH SCHENCK, employees of McCarthy for President Head-
quarters, both of whom handled instant letters and whose prints
may be thereon.

The following McCARTHY for President personnel,
who have been previously fingerprinted, likewise handled the
letter and envelope, and their fingerprints should be on
file in the Identification Division:

KATHERINE ELIZABETH HENSLEY

[REDACTED]

REC 11 *9-47853-8*

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SPECIMENS DETACHED IN LFPS

Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
Special Agent in Charge

WFO 9-2016

SALLY QUINN [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

LORNA "BONNIE" MEYER CARTER [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

THOMAS S. PAGE, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

LEAD

WASHINGTON FIELD

AT WASHINGTON, D.C. Will report investigative results.



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION.

YOUR FILE NO. 9-2016
FBI FILE NO. REC 119-47553 -8
LATENT CASE NO. 91120
TO: EX-116
SAC, WFO

April 19, 1968

RE: UNKNOWN;
ROLAND TERRINTINE, AKA
ROLAN
SENATOR EUGENE J. MC CARTHY - VICTIM
EXTORTION

REFERENCE: Airtel 4/12/68
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: WFO
SPECIMENS: Fingerprints Elizabeth Ann Scanlan
(Elizabeth Scanlan) and Judith
Ann Schenck (Judith Schenck)

On basis information furnished, no identification record located Katherine Elizabeth Hensley.

Previously reported latent fingerprints this case not identical submitted fingerprints or fingerprints Sally Quinn, [REDACTED] Lorna May Meyer, [REDACTED] or Thomas S. Page, [REDACTED]. These individuals may be identical individuals mentioned reairtel.

Fingerprints of Scanlan and Schenck enclosed.

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LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION WORK SHEET

Recorded: 4-15-68 11:30 a.m.

Reference No: 9-2016

Received: 4-15-68 SC

FBI File No: 9-47853-8

Latent Case No: 91190

Answer to: SAC, WFO

Examination requested by: Addressee

Copy to: 2cc Detroit

RE: UNSUB;
ROLAND TERRINTINE, AKA ROLAN
SENATOR EUGENE J. MC CARTHY - VICTIM
EXTORTION

Date of reference communication: Airtel 4-12-68

Specimens:

Fingerprints submitted for elimination:
ELIZABETH ANN SCANLAN (*Elizabeth Scanlan*)
JUDITH ANN SCHENCK (*Judith Schenck*)

Named for elimination:

KATHERINE ELIZABETH HENSLEY, [REDACTED] *no record located*SALLY QUINN, [REDACTED] *7-1-41 Savannah, Ga.**Lorna May Meyer
Carter*(LORNA "BONNIE" MEYER CARTER, [REDACTED] *Mayhew**Thomas S. Page**S F, Calif. Mayhew*

Result of examination:

Examination by: [REDACTED]

Evidence noted by: [REDACTED]

*Called for records 4/15/68
no record located Hensley
Lat fpts not of Quinn - Carter or Page - Mayhew's
Lat fpts not of sub fpts.
Sub fpts are.*

Examination completed

Time

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, Detroit (9-2379)

Date: May 3, 1968

Mr
UNSUB (4)
Roland Terrintine aka
Letter Postmarked 3/31/68
Re: South Haven, Michigan
Senator Eugene J. McCarthy -
Victim
Extortion
OO: Detroit

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No. 9-47853
Lab. No. D-561537 KY

Examination requested by: Detroit

Reference: Airtel 4/22/68

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

The Latent Fingerprint Section will answer relet
request separately.

Enclosures (3) (K1, 2 Lab report)

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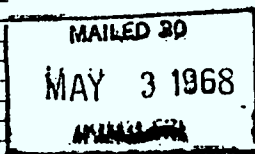
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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, Detroit (9-2379)

Date:

May 3, 1968

FBI File No.

9-47853

Lab. No.

D-561537 KY

Re: UNSUB

Roland Terrintine aka

Letter Postmarked 3/31/68

South Haven, Michigan

Senator Eugene J. McCarthy - Victim

Extortion

Specimens received 4/24/68

K1 Sheet of paper bearing handwriting of ROLAND B. TERRENTINE

Result of examination:

Due to a lack of enough known handwriting in the wording and style of the questioned writing, it was not possible to determine whether ROLAND B. TERRENTINE, K1, prepared any of this questioned writing. However, where the questioned and known handwriting is comparable, differences were noted suggesting TERRENTINE is not involved in the preparation of the questioned writing.

The evidence is returned. Photographs are retained.

DNR:NB (4)

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Re: UNSUB ✓
Roland Terrintine aka ✓
Letter Postmarked 3/31/68 ✓
South Haven, Michigan ✓
Senator Eugene J. McCarthy - Victim ✓
Extortion ✓

File # 9-47853-9
Lab. # D-561537-KY

00: Detroit ✓ LATENT
Examination requested by: Detroit (9-2379)/A-4/22/68 ✓

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Date received: 4/24/68

Result of Examination:

Examination by: [redacted] 4/24/68

1. Look enough for him to working a style you not possible
determining whether he is a writer, pay-off man or not. He never lifts notes.
2. 4 returns. Photos.

Specimens submitted for examination

K1 ~~One~~ ^{paper bearing} Sheet of known handwriting and hand-printing of
ROLAND B. TERRINTINE

ENC. 1

4/25/68

T. J. [redacted]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Trotter *CIT 4/24/68/40, 100 (pa)*

DATE: 4/24/68

FROM : ☐ J. H. Gale

plucim m3pa
☒ I. W. Conrad

SUBJECT: UNSUB: Roland Terrintine

LATENT
BOTH FILES
DETROIT

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Please search the name of the individual through the records of the Identification Division and return this memorandum with notation of your findings to -

☐ Employees Security and Special Inquiry Section, Room _____, Justice Building. (In SGE and UN cases, if a record of arrest is found, please enclose, in addition to file copy, 1 copy of the Identification Record for each state in which arrests occurred.)

☒ Laboratory, Att.: _____, Ext. 2507 re D# 561537

The following identifying data are listed for your assistance (Att.: Special Investigative Division only - in addition to the name or names and the Government agency appearing in the title):

Sex <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Race N	Height 6'1"	Name and aliases (For use of Laboratory) (1) 0 (2) 0	(3)
Date and place of birth 12/29/24, ohio		Age	ROLAND B. TERRENTINE Michigan State Police No. 55-755-65 3-260-259 no civil file	
Military Service #	CSC #			
Last known address				
Previous Government employment				
Date SGE security form received				
Other pertinent identifying data (Att.: Lab., including PD #s and location)				

Identification Division Reply

☐ Based upon information furnished, no record located.

☐ A noncriminal fingerprint record which IS or MAY BE identical was located. This record was searched through the criminal files and no criminal record found.

☐ The enclosed Identification Record IS or MAY BE identical with the record of the employee, applicant, or subject.

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File # 9-47853 9
Lab. # D-561537 KY

Examination requested by Detroit (9-2379) A-4/22/68

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Date received: 4/24/68

Result of Examination:

Examination by: [REDACTED]

Specimens submitted for examination

K1 One sheet of known handwriting and hand printing of
ROLAND B. FERRENTINE

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Richard B. Terrence 181 June 6, 1966

PART C-2085 cyl. head DIESEL!

1. WATER PASSAGE NOT CORRODED PER PRINT.

2. $2\frac{3}{8}$ WIDTH + FOR $1\frac{1}{8}$ DIA. SPOT FACE IS $\frac{1}{16}$.

SEE SECTION C-C

3 $\frac{3}{8}$ RADIUS FOR $\frac{5}{16}$ DRILL $\frac{7}{8}$ DEEP DOES NOT APPEAR
TO BE SUFFICIENT. MORE STOCK SHOULD BE ADDED.

NOTE: ABOVE 3 DEFECTS HAVE ALREADY BEEN PROCESSED
THROUGH OUR PATTERN DEPARTMENT AND VENDOR NOTIFIED."

Wm. H. Hener
Personnel Director

K1 9-47853 KY

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LABORATORY

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Date: 5/9/68

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-47853) (ATTN. FBI LABORATORY)
FROM: SAC, DETROIT (9-2379)
SUBJECT: UNSUB, aka.
Roland Terrintine,
Rolan Terrintine;
SENATOR EUGENE J. MC CARTHY - VICTIM
EXTORTION
(OO: Detroit)

There are enclosed the following:

Letter dated 12/21/67, beginning "This is the K.K.K." and envelope in which it was received.

Letter, undated, beginning, "Gentlemen, please send me one High Standard Supermatic" and the envelope in which it was returned. The notation, "You must be kidding" and the typed portion, so far as is known, were not portions of the original questioned letter.

Order form of Klein's Sporting Goods, Inc. containing order for 12 gauge shotgun.

Undated letter beginning, "Hey Nigger bastard you don't learn too easy do you?" and envelope in which it was received, postmarked Kalamazoo, 4/18/68

Undated letter beginning, "Hay Nigger bastard still don't want to pay 25 bucks eh?"

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Undated letter beginning with drawing of skull and crossbones and signed "By order of the great Blufusth K.K.K."

These letters were obtained from the Michigan State Police and the letter beginning, "Hay Nigger bastard still don't want to pay 25 bucks" was previously examined in the latent fingerprint bureau of the Michigan State Police laboratory.

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Approved: LK:ps

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Special Agent in Charge

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It is requested all the letters, except the one examined by the Michigan State Police and the stationery of Klein's Sporting Goods, Inc., be examined for latent fingerprints.

It is also requested the handprinting and handwriting be examined to determine if all was prepared by the same person and the person who prepared the letter to Senator MC CARTHY.

It is requested examination be made of typed letter to identify the make and type of machine used.

Return all specimens to Detroit for return to Michigan State Police.

- ✓Q10 Envelope postmarked "KALAMAZOO APR 18 PM 1968 MICH" bearing the hand printed address "Roland Terrintine 72nd Covert, Mich 49090"
- ✓Q11 Letter beginning "Hey Nigger..." and ending "...where to put the \$50." and also bearing a drawing on the back
- ✓Q12 Hand printed letter beginning "Hey Nigger..." and ending "...April 7, Sunday"
- ✓Q13 Hand printed letter beginning with drawing of skull and crossbone and ending "...the Great Ogre orders it"

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: UNSUB, aka
Roland Terrintine,
Roland Terrintine;
Senator Eugene J. Mc Carthy - Victim
Extortion
OO: Detroit

File # 9-47853 -10
Lab. # D-680615001 KY✓

L A T E N T

Examination requested by: Detroit (9-2379) A5/9/68

Examination requested: DOCUMENT - FINGERPRINT

Date received: 5/14/68

Result of Examination:

Examination by: [redacted] 5/16/68

1. No watermarks ^{or indented writing} Q5 → Q13.
2. Conc. of hp submitted evidence, excluding hp notation "you must be kidding" Q8 ident hp. p.s.
3. Q4w & Q6 resembles Royal pic.
4. Evil sep. Photos.

T.F. Submit kw hp
sic or undie
from any suspect
since hp appears
normal & subject's
ident.

Specimens submitted for examination

- ✓Q5 Envelope postmarked "1968 49090" and bearing the hand printed address "Roland Terrentine 72nd Covert Mich. 49090"
- ✓Q6 One-page typewritten letter dated 12/21/68 beginning "This is the K.K.K...." and ending "...leave 25\$ in this hole"
- ✓Q7 Envelope postmarked "SELMA APR 19'68 ALA." bearing the handwritten address "Roland Terrintine 72nd Covert, Mich. 49090"
- ✓Q8 One-page letter beginning "please send me..." and ending "...when the gun comes." Also bears hand printed and typewritten notations
- ✓Q9 Order form of Klein's Sporting Goods, Inc. containing order for 12 gauge shotgun bearing the signature "Roland Terrintine"

RETURN EVIDENCE
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Q5 Roland Terrertine - no watermark
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Q6 Royal pica (405)

Q8 Roland Terrertine

Q9 Roland Terrertine

Q10 Roland Terrertine

Q11 L (K)

Q12 + Q13

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JOHN J. CONNELLEY

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ALBANY, N.Y.

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